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Ashley Wimberley, Director Disclosure Division

#### FILER INFORMATION

Name: Mr. Milton R. Simar

Address: P. O. Box 578, Iota, LA 70543-578
Alt. Address: 410 S. Second St., Iota, LA 70543
Office/Position: Acadia Parish School Board

Dates of Service: 2008-2019

Number of Disclosures and/or Amendments Filed with Agency: 29

#### REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: School Board Disclosure for School Year 2019

Report ID: SBD19000326 Original Due Date: 9/9/2019

NOD Received: 9/16/2019 - Signed by: Milton Simar PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD:9/9/2019

PFD/Answer Filed: 9/16/2019

# LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$350
Days late from receipt of NOD: 7
Total days late from initial due date: 7
Late Fee Order Received: 10/7/2020

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 10/27/2020

Waiver Request Received: 10/7/2020

### **COMMENTS:**

Milton Simar is requesting waiver for failing to file his 2019 School Board Disclosure timely. Mr. Simar stated he normally works with the local school district staff member to submit his School Board Disclosures. However, due to circumstances beyond his control, he unfortunately was unable to address the matter in a timely manner in 2019. Mr. Simar respectfully request the Ethics Board to waive his late fee, as he pledges to submit all filings timely moving forward.

This is Mr. Simar first late filing and late fee assessment.

# OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

## Disclosure Statements:

- Other Outstanding Statements: No
- Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

# Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
  - Prior Late Fees: No

Milton R. Simar P O Box 578 Iota, LA 70543-578 337-523-1757

October 7, 2020

Louisiana Board of Ethics Attn: Ashley Wimberley P O Box 4368 Baton Rouge, LA 70821

via fax: 1-225-381-7271

Re: School Board Disclosure Statement for School Year 2019

Late Fee Assessment - Report: SBD19000326

WAIVER REQUEST

Dear Ms. Wimberley:

The purpose of this correspondence is to request your most serious consideration to waive the late fee due to the LA Board of Ethics in this matter. Due to circumstances beyond my control, the required report was not filed timely. We normally work with our local school district staff to assist with the required filing and unfortunately I was not able to address the matter in a timely manner in 2019.

In closing, again, I respectfully request a waiver of the charged fee associated with the required filing. I pledge to submit all filings timely moving forward. Thank you for your most serious consideration.

Sincerely,

Acadia Parish School Board Member

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